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House Resolution No. 4033

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives feel it is altogether fitting and proper to pause from time to time to recognize individuals and organizations that have contributed to the welfare of this great state and its citizens; and

Whereas, the members now pause to recognize Carol Dutton, of Joplin, Missouri, who is the winner of the All-Events Scratch Bowling Title, which she won in the 2007 Joplin Open; and

Whereas, Carol Dutton holds two rings from the United States Bowling Congress for two 300-point games, and she was elected to the United States Bowling Congress (USBC) Hall of Fame in 2005; and

Whereas, Carol Dutton took her title, which involved men and women competing against one another, with an overall score of 2,113 and finished second overall with her all-time series high of 784, making her the top overall bowler in the tournament; and

Whereas, Carol Dutton, the third of four generations of bowlers in her family, holds a 204 average and has earned recognition as one of the top bowlers in the Joplin area; and

Whereas, Carol Dutton, who now coaches the juniors program, met her husband, Bill, also a skilled bowler, when she was nineteen; and

Whereas, Bill Dutton has also been elected to the Greater Joplin USBC Hall of Fame, with his nine 300 games and three 800 series; and

Whereas, Carol and Bill Dutton are the proud parents of two daughters, Shayla, aged nine years, and Quincy, aged eleven years:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join to extend our heartfelt congratulations to Carol Dutton on this illustrious occasion; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Carol Dutton.

Offered by

Representative Ronald F. Richard

District No. 129

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,

Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4033, adopted June 13, 2007.